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8 CATHAY MORTUARY WAH SANG INC.  
9 dba ASHLEY & MCMULLEN MORTUARY  
10 WING SUN SUCCESSOR TO CATHAY MORTUARY WAH SANG  
11 (erroneously named and sued herein as  
12 ASHLEY & MCMULLEN-WING SUN MORTUARY  
13 and ASHLEY & MCMULLEN)

14 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
15 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

16 SETA SAAD and CHRISTIAN E. SAAD,  
17 individually and as representatives of the  
18 Estate of Raymond Saad,

19 Plaintiffs,

20 v.

21 GUIDANT CORPORATION; GUIDANT  
22 SALES CORPORATION; CARDIAC  
23 PACEMAKERS, INC.; BOSTON  
24 SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION; ASHLEY &  
25 MCMULLEN-WING SUN MORTUARY, a  
26 business entity form unknown, ASHLEY &  
MCMULLEN, a business entity form  
unknown; and DOES 1 through 20, inclusive,

Defendants.

CATHAY MORTUARY WAH SANG INC.  
dba ASHLEY & MCMULLEN MORTUARY  
WING SUN SUCCESSOR TO CATHAY  
MORTUARY WAH SANG,

Cross-Complainant,

Case No.: C 08-00053-PJH

**JOINDER OF DEFENDANT/CROSS-  
COMPLAINANT CATHAY MORTUARY  
WAH SANG INC. dba ASHLEY &  
MCMULLEN MORTUARY WING SUN  
SUCCESSOR TO CATHAY MORTUARY WAH  
SANG IN PLAINTIFFS' OPPOSITION TO  
THE GUIDANT DEFENDANTS'  
MOTION TO STAY PENDING  
TRANSFER TO MDL COURT**

**Hearing Date: February 20, 2008**

**Time: 9:00 a.m.**

**Location: Courtroom 3, 17<sup>th</sup> Floor**

**Judge: Honorable Phyllis J. Hamilton**

**Complaint Filed: October 29, 2007**

**Removal Filed: January 4, 2008**

1 v.

2 GUIDANT CORPORATION; GUIDANT  
3 SALES CORPORATION; CARDIAC  
4 PACEMAKERS, INC.; BOSTON  
5 SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION; and ROES 1  
through 50, inclusive,

6 Cross-Defendants.

7 **JOINDER**

8 Defendant/Cross-Complainant CATHAY MORTUARY WAH SANG INC. dba ASHLEY  
9 & MCMULLEN MORTUARY WING SUN SUCCESSOR TO CATHAY MORTUARY WAH SANG  
10 hereby joins in Plaintiffs' Opposition to the Guidant Defendants' Motion for Stay of Proceedings.

11 Dated: January 29, 2008

LAW OFFICES OF WILLIAM J. DIFFENDERFER

12 /s/ Merrilee C. Miller

13 By: \_\_\_\_\_

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